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SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Dear Sir:

After this application was filed a pre-x search was conducted as to the boot 65. While there are patents which show various corrugated tubes used in automotive environments for a variety of purposes, the only patent uncovered with respect to a tilt cab, and therfore considered relevant to the present application, is Patent 4,575,128, issued March 11, 1986 to Sundquist, a copy of which is attached for your convenience.

Respectfully submitted,

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